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Sir/Madam:

Transmitted herewith for filing is/are the following document(s):

- Letter to Examiner (w/copy of utility transmittal)
- Notice to File Missing Parts
- Declaration and Power of Attorney
- Assignment and Coversheet
- Return Post Card

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at (617)720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

The enclosed check includes a \$710.00 filing fee, \$130.00 surcharge and \$40.00 assignment recordation fee for a total of \$880.00. If this amount is insufficient, the balance may be charged to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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LETTER TO EXAMINER

Sir/Madam:

Applicant draws the Examiner's attention to the Foreign Applications section of the filing receipt wherein the priority application is identified as **United Kingdom** 00 06065 with a filing date of May 12, 2000. This information is incorrect.

On the Utility Patent Application Transmittal letter that accompanied the patent application the priority application was identified as **French** application 00 06065, filed May 12, 2000. Please make this correction before issuing an updated filing receipt. A highlighted copy of the transmittal letter is enclosed.

Should any questions arise concerning the foregoing, please contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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**UTILITY
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
 Statement filed in prior application, status still proper and desired.
3. Specification -Total pages 25
22 - pages description
1 - pages abstract
2 - pages claims 8 - Total claims
4. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) 5- Total sheets
 Informal Formal - Total drawings 1-8
5. Oath or Declaration - Total pages
 - a. Newly executed (original or copy)
 - b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
[Note Box 6 below]
 - i. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. Incorporation by Reference
(usable if Box 5b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein. See 19.
7. Application Data Sheet, See 37 CFR 1.76

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8. CD-ROM or CD-R, in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
9. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. paper (identical to computer copy)
 - c. Statement verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

10. Assignment Papers/cover sheet & documents(s)
11. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
(when there is an assignee)
 Power of Attorney
12. English Translation of Document *(if applicable)*
13. Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449
 Copies of IDS Citations
14. Preliminary Amendment
15. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
16. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
17. Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)(2)(B)(ii)
18. Other:

18a. Other: PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. §119, APPLICANT HEREBY CLAIMS PRIORITY TO FRENCH PATENT APPLICATION 00 06065, FILED MAY 12, 2000.

19. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in the body of the application, or a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: _____, filed on _____, entitled _____ and now _____.

Cancel in this application claims _____ before calculating the filing fee.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line of the specification on page 1, after the title, the following:

--This application is a Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: _____, filed on _____, entitled _____ and now _____.

Prior application information: Examiner _____ Group Art Unit: _____

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

20. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

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20. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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